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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of)
LAURENT A. M. FENOUIL, BRENDAN D. MURRAY, and PAUL M. AYOUB)))
Serial No. 10/789,263) Group Art Unit: 1626
Filed February 27, 2004) Examiner: Kamal A. Saeed
A PROCESS FOR PREPARING (BRANCHED-ALKYL) ARYLSULFONATES AND A (BRANCHED-ALKYL)) October 26, 2006
ARYLSULFONATE COMPOSITION)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement of October 12, 2006, the above-identified application is hereby amended as follows: